

Lancaster Synthesis, Inc. Site 257 Hiram Allen Road, Blythewood

Notice of 30-day Public Comment Period Voluntary Cleanup Contract with Clariant Corporation

The South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control (DHEC) is accepting public comments until September 24, 2018, on proposed Responsible Party Voluntary Cleanup Contract 18-5905-RP (VCC) regarding the Lancaster Synthesis, Inc. Site. The facility operators manufactured organic intermediate chemicals primarily for the pharmaceutical industry research and development market.

As part of the VCC, Clariant Corporation (Clariant) has agreed to perform and fund a remedial investigation and an evaluation of cleanup alternatives for the Site under DHEC's oversight. Clariant will reimburse DHEC for past costs and for oversight costs relating to this VCC. The VCC contains provisions regarding the granting of a covenant not to sue from DHEC to Clariant for completion of response actions specifically covered in the VCC, contribution protection, and contribution from other responsible parties. The complete text of the VCC may be viewed at DHEC's website:

www.scdhec.gov/Apps/Environment/PublicNotices

Your written comments regarding the VCC should be addressed to Elisa Vincent, SCDHEC-LWM, 2600 Bull Street, Columbia, SC 29201 or email your comments to vincenef@dhec.sc.gov. You may also contact Mrs. Vincent at 803-898-0882 with your questions/comments or to request a copy of the VCC.